

**Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Hennepin County, Minnesota****Trend of Fatalities, 1997-2001**

		1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
<b>Fatality Counts</b>	<b>Total Fatalities</b>	60	67	41	51	68
	<b>Alcohol-Related</b>	21	23	15	25	21
	<b>Single Vehicle</b>	29	33	20	22	38
	<b>Non-Junction</b>	29	34	26	25	40
	<b>Intersection</b>	18	16	6	15	17
	<b>Intersection-Related</b>	8	16	7	9	8
	<b>Speeding Involved</b>	8	22	16	20	25
	<b>Pedestrians</b>	13	13	9	4	14
	<b>Pedalcyclists</b>	3	2	1	1	1
	<b>Large Truck Involved</b>	8	6	3	6	8
	<b>Roadway Departure</b>	16	19	14	19	26
	<b>Passenger Car Occupants</b>	33	32	23	32	32
	<b>Light Truck/Van Occupants</b>	6	9	4	8	12
	<b>Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	1	2	0	1	1
	<b>Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	40	43	27	41	45
	<b>Motorcycle Riders</b>	4	8	3	3	6

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

**Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+)  
By Restraint Use, 2001**

<b>Fatalities</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Restrained</b>	<b>Unrestrained</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
<b>2001</b>	42	13	25	4

**Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+)  
By Helmet Use, 2001**

<b>Fatalities</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Helmeted</b>	<b>Unhelmeted</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
<b>2001</b>	6	3	3	0

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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2001

	2001			
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State
<b>Total Fatalities</b>	68	1	6.06	74
<b>Alcohol-Related</b>	21	1	1.87	59
<b>Single Vehicle</b>	38	1	3.38	57
<b>Non-Junction</b>	40	1	3.56	72
<b>Intersection</b>	17	1	1.51	43
<b>Intersection-Related</b>	8	1	0.71	8
<b>Speeding Involved</b>	25	1	2.23	40
<b>Pedestrians</b>	14	1	1.25	11
<b>Pedalcyclists</b>	1	3	0.09	7
<b>Large Truck Involved</b>	8	1	0.71	33
<b>Roadway Departure</b>	26	1	2.32	67
<b>Passenger Car Occupants</b>	32	1	2.85	60
<b>Light Truck/Van Occupants</b>	12	1	1.07	67
<b>Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	1	7	0.09	16
<b>Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	45	1	4.01	80
<b>Motorcycle Riders</b>	6	2	0.53	18

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.